

Message Text

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 01 MBABAN 00902 161744Z

17

ACTION EUR-25

INFO OCT-01 AF-10 ISO-00 SWF-02 AID-20 CEA-02 CIAE-00

COME-00 EB-11 FRB-02 INR-10 NSAE-00 RSC-01 CIEP-02

SP-03 STR-08 TRSE-00 LAB-06 SIL-01 SAM-01 OMB-01

AGR-20 DRC-01 /127 W

----- 046137

R 161525Z MAY 74

FM AMEMBASSY MBABANE

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6380

INFO AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS

AMEMBASSY GABORONE

AMEMBASSY LONDON

AMEMBASSY MASERU

AMEMBASSY PRETORIA

US MISSION EC BRUSSELS

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE MBABANE 0902

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ETRD, WZ

SUBJECT: EEC: MINISTER INDUSTRY PESSIMISTIC

ABOUT NEGOTIATIONS

1. SWAZILAND MINISTER INDUSTRY MINES TOURISM
SIMON SISHAYI NXUMALO TODAY TOLD AMBASSADOR HIS
GOVERNMENT "PESSIMISTIC" OVER COURSE NEGOTIATIONS
FOR AN ASSOCIATION ARRANGEMENT WITH THE EEC. HE
CRITICIZED HIGH COST MAINTAINING REPRESENTATION
BRUSSELS, LACK DISCERNIBLE PROGRESS AND IRREGULAR,
INFREQUENT MEETINGS FOR NEGOTIATING PURPOSES.

2. ACCORDING NXUMALO FORMER COMMONWEALTH COUNTRIES
FACING SUBSTANTIAL OBSTACLES TO MEANINGFUL
ASSOCIATION. HE CITED ECONOMIC PROBLEMS IN WHICH
UK QUOTA FOR SWAZILAND SUGAR COULD BE SUPPLEMENTED
LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 02 MBABAN 00902 161744Z

BY HIGH PRICED EEC BEET SUGAR. HE ALSO ALLUDED

TO AN ITALIAN MOVE TO DECLARE SWAZI MEAT
UNHEALTHFUL AS EXAMPLE NON-TARIFF BARRIERS
FACING SWAZILAND. HE SPOKE WITH SOME EMPHASIS
ABOUT THE POLITICAL BENEFITS EEC GAINS BY
FAVORABLE PUBLICITY EEC COUNCIL DECISIONS
WITHOUT CONCOMITANT ECONOMIC BENEFITS TO
ASSOCIABLES. BOLEN

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: NONTARIFF BARRIERS, SUGAR, NEGOTIATIONS, SANITATION REGULATIONS, MEATS
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 16 MAY 1974
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: golinofr
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 28 MAY 2004
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1974MBABAN00902
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Film Number: D740121-1015
From: MBABANE
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1974/newtext/t19740543/aaaablpy.tel
Line Count: 68
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Office: ACTION EUR
Original Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators:
Previous Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: n/a
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: golinofr
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 02 APR 2002
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <02 APR 2002 by boyleja>; APPROVED <12 JUN 2002 by golinofr>
Review Markings:

Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
30 JUN 2005

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: EEC: MINISTER INDUSTRY PESSIMISTIC ABOUT NEGOTIATIONS
TAGS: ETRD, ESTC, ECON, WZ, EEC, (NXUMALO, SIMON SISHAYI)
To: STATE
Type: TE
Markings: Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005